



**Phonics - Little Wandle Scheme**

**Reception Spring 1**

	Phase 3 graphemes	New tricky words
Week 1	ai ee igh oa	
Week 2	oo oo ar or	was you they
Week 3	ur ow oi ear	my by all
Week 4	air er words with double letters: dd mm tt bb rr gg pp ff	are sure pure
Week 5	longer words	

**Carpet Times**

**PSED** – MyHappyMind Appreciate; Paper Dolls.

**UW** – Familiar situations in the past (trains/landscapes then and now); ECO month of action (four themed weeks: plastic-free, active travel, energy-saving, litter and reduce, re-use, recycle) Chinese New Year, including a Dragon Dance.

**EAD** – Jack and the Beanstalk music project with Greater Manchester Music Hub; Painting and Mixed Media (KAPOW), including focus task on Megan Coyle (landscape collage); single-use plastic wind chimes.



**Why do we go on journeys?**

**Special Events**

ECO month of action – January

Walk to School Week – w.b. 13<sup>th</sup> January.

EYFS maths Come and See sessions – w.b. 20<sup>th</sup> January

Service at Christ Church – Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January 5pm

Children's Mental Health Week – w.b. 3<sup>rd</sup> February

Safer Internet Day – Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February

Valentine's Disco – Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February

Chinese New Year – Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January

Dragon Dance – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January 9:15am

**Focus Tasks**

Week 1 – Single-use plastic wind chimes. Name-writing and This is me pictures.

Week 2 – Traffic surveys. Megan Coyle collages.

Week 3 – Megan Coyle collages.

Week 4 – Litter picking. Group firework pictures.

Chinese Dragon for Dragon Dance.

Week 5 – Maths.

Week 6 – Phonics assessments.

**RE**

Which places are special and why?

**Maths**

Alive in 5

Mass and capacity

Growing 6, 7, 8

**Home-learning**

Week 1 – To make a plastic-free pledge New Year's resolution.

Week 2 – Chinese Dragon masks.

Week 3 – RSPB Big Garden Birdwatch.

Week 4 – Think about some journeys you have been on – how did you get there?

Week 5 – How have you shown perseverance at home?

Week 6 – Tricky Words

**Core texts**

The Train Ride by June Crebbin

The Way Back Home by Oliver Jeffers

Mr Gumpy's Motor Car by John Burningham

The Great Race by Dawn Casey

Lost and Found – Oliver Jeffers

The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig by Eugene Trivizas

**Reading for pleasure texts**

Mr Gumpy's Outing by John Burningham

Peace at Last by Jill Murphy

Lanterns and Firecrackers: A Chinese New Year Story by Jonny Zucker

Aliens in Underpants Save the World by Claire Freedman

Farmer Duck by Martin Waddell

Alan's Big Scary Teeth by Jarvis

Paper Dolls by Julia Donaldson

**Poetry Basket**

A Little House

Hungry Birdies

Put on our Mittens